

ANNEX B

(ATTACHMENT 2)

REFUSE SERVICE

As used throughout this contract, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:

(1) "Refuse" includes all garbage, ashes, debris, rubbish and other similar waste material. Not included are explosives and incendiary waste and contaminated waste from medical and radiological processes.

a. "Garbage" means animal and vegetable waste (and containers thereof) resulting from the handling, preparation, cooking, and consumption of foods. Edible, or hog food, garbage is the portion of waste food which has been segregated for salvage.

b. "Ashes" means the residue from burned wood, coal, coke, and other combustible material.

c. "Debris" means grass cuttings, tree trimmings, stumps, street sweepings, rooting and construction wastes, and similar waste material.

d. "Rubbish" means a variety of unsalvageable waste material such as metal, glass, crockery, floor sweepings, paper, wrappings, containers, cartons, and similar articles not used in preparing or dispensing food. Rubbish is further subdivided into:

1. "Combustible Rubbish" which can be burned readily in an incinerator or burning pit; and

2. "Noncombustible Rubbish" which cannot be burned at ordinary incinerator temperatures (800 to 1,800 degrees Fahrenheit).

(2) "Receptacles" or "Containers" means cans, drums, bins, or similar receptacles which can be handled easily, and

multiple containers which are handled by mechanical truck-mounted hoists.

(3) "Refuse Collection" means a system of transporting refuse, including non-accountable salvage, from pick-up stations to points of disposal. It includes hauling garbage to the transfer station when required by the terms of a salvage contract.

a. "Collection" means the accumulated refuse from any one unit at any one time, regardless of the number of cartons or bundles.

b. "Pick-up Stations" means designated locations where refuse may be conveniently and efficiently assembled and stored in containers for collection.

(4) Under the terms and conditions of this contract, the contractor and/or any subcontractors utilized are PROHIBITED from disposing of Hazardous Material (HAZMAT). The contractor may NOT dispose of any material that because of its quantity, concentration, or physical or chemical characteristics may pose a substantial hazard to human health or the environment.

Subcategories of HAZMAT include:

"Flammable materials" = any liquid with a flash point of less than 1500 degrees Fahrenheit and certain semi-solids and solids.

Toxic materials

Corrosive materials" (including acids) = any HAZMAT that will cause severe tissue damage by chemical reaction or materially damage surfaces or cause fire when in contact with organic material or certain other chemicals. "Acids" means any corrosive having a pH of less than 7.

Oxidizing materials

Aerosol containers

Compressed gases

Hazardous waste also includes any material (liquid, solid or gas) which meets the above definition of hazardous material and is designated as a HAZMAT by the Environmental Protection Agency or State HAZMAT Control Authority.

In addition to the HAZMAT identified above, this contract also prohibits disposal of any of the following by the contractor and/or subcontractors: ammunition, weapons, explosives, explosive actuated devices, propellants, asbestos, mercury, pyrotechnics, chemical and biological warfare materials, medical and pharmaceutical supplies, medical wastes, infectious materials, bulk fuels, radioactive materials, and lithium batteries.